Jobs and Workforce

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Virginia's Jobs Picture

Virginia Jobs Demand

- The total jobs demand for the Commonwealth combines the potential new jobs created by our economy (net new jobs) and the openings created by retirements and turnover (replacement jobs).
- Theses job estimates factor in shifts at the federal level including the continued loss of federal jobs and changes in contract spending.
- Virginia had an estimated 4,871,288 jobs in 2012. As shown below, over the next 10 years, Virginia will need to fill 2 million positions. 844,359 of these jobs will be new jobs, while 1,199,686 will be replacement jobs.

Year	Net New Jobs	Replacement Jobs	Total Demand	
2012-2017	448,016	629,627	1,077,643	
2017-2022	396,343	570,059	966,402	
2012-2022	844,359	1,199,686	2,044,045	

SOURCE: EMSI Complete Employment-2013.2; GMU Center for Regional Analysis, Dr. Stephen Fuller

Virginia Jobs Demand by Occupation

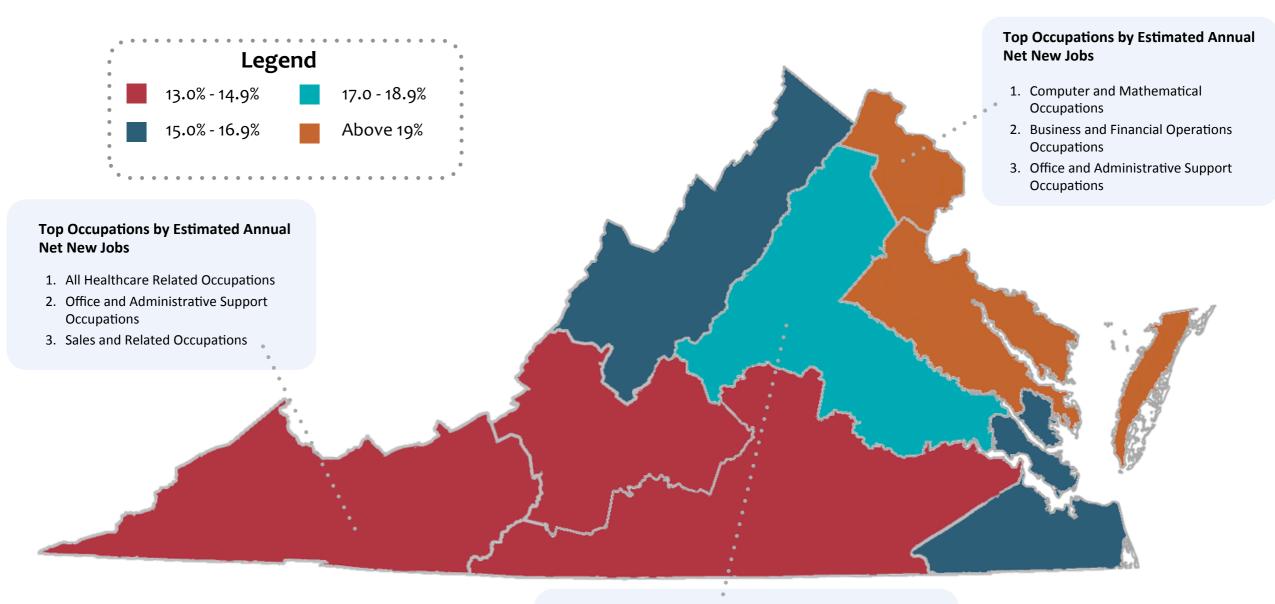
Number of New Workers by Occupation, 2012-2017

Net New Jobs	Total Demand
Sales and Related Services (Retail Salespersons, Insurance Sales Agents, Travel Agents, Real Estate Agents, etc.)	54,264
Business and Financial Operations (Accountants & Auditors, Personal Financial Advisors, Management Analysts, etc.)	48,619
All Healthcare (Home Health Aides, Registered Nurses, Nursing Aides, Physicians, Licensed Vocational Nurses, etc.)	48,219
Office and Administrative Support (Customer Service Reps., Receptionists, Payroll and Timekeeping Clerks, etc.)	43,406
Personal Care and Services (Childcare Workers, Fitness Trainers, Gaming Dealers, Animal Trainers, etc.)	32,338
Education, Training, and Library Services (Teachers, Professors, Museum Curators, Librarians, etc.)	32,066
Replacement Jobs	Total Demand
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SOURCE: EMSI Complete Employment-2013.2; GMU Center for Regional Analysis, Dr. Stephen Fuller

Virginia Jobs Demand by Selected Region

Percentage Change in Employment by Region, 2010 - 2020

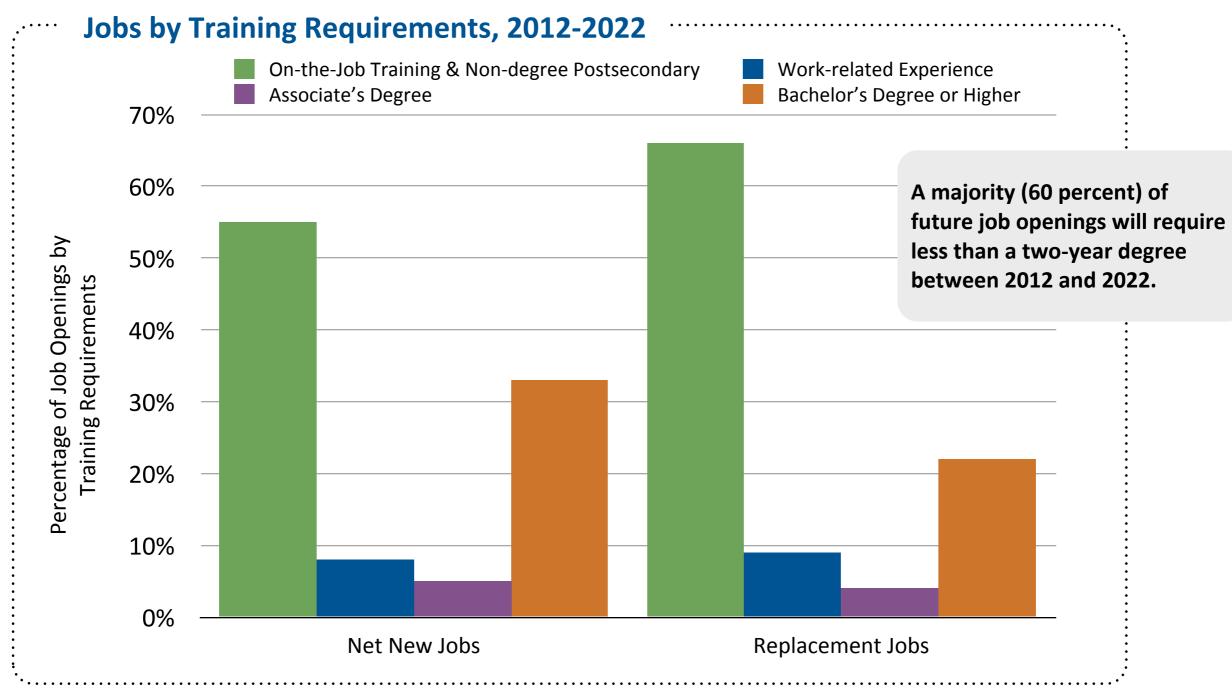


Top Occupations by Estimated Annual Net New Jobs

- 1. All Healthcare Related Occupations
- 2. Sales and Related Occupations
- 3. Education, Training, and Library Occupations

SOURCE: Virginia Employment Commission, Labor Market Information, Occupation Projections NOTE: Regions highlighted on the map are combined Workforce Board Investment regions.

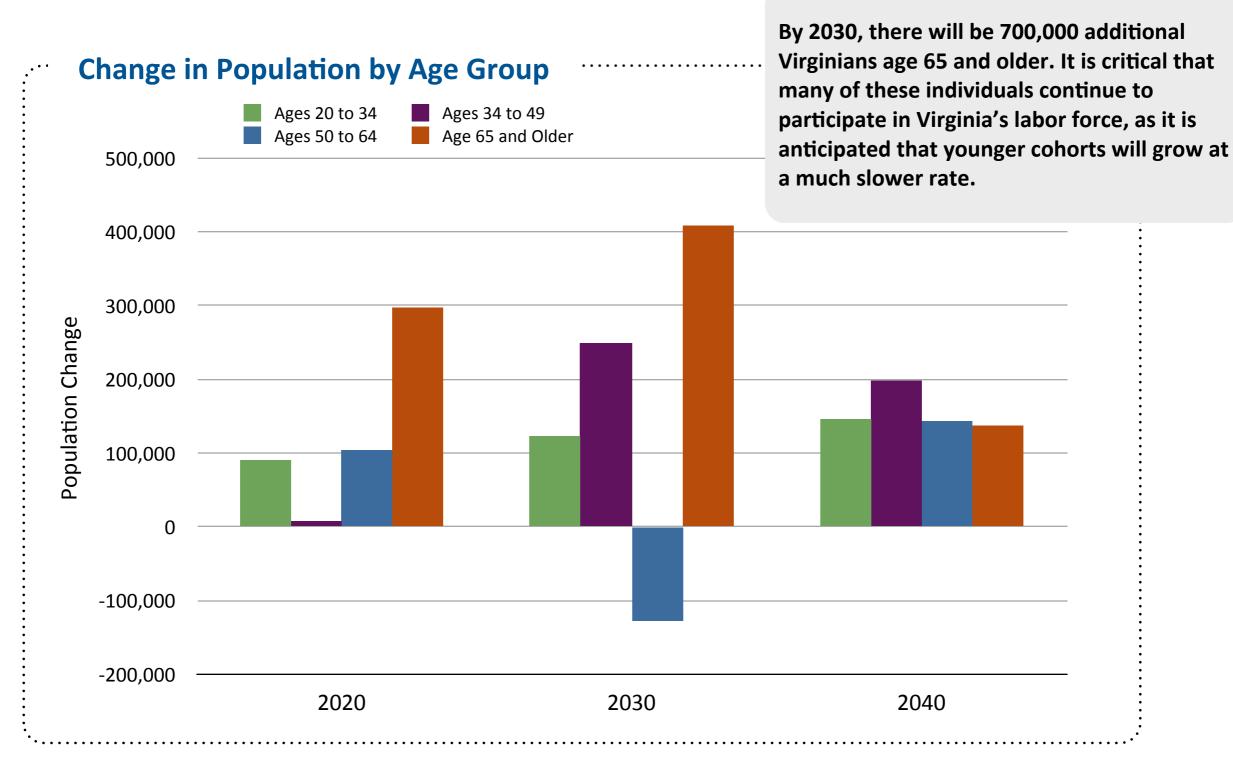
Virginia Jobs Demand by Training Requirements



SOURCE: EMSI Complete Employment-2013.2; GMU Center for Regional Analysis, Dr. Stephen Fuller NOTE: Job totals used in this analysis reflect underestimates due to suppressed data.

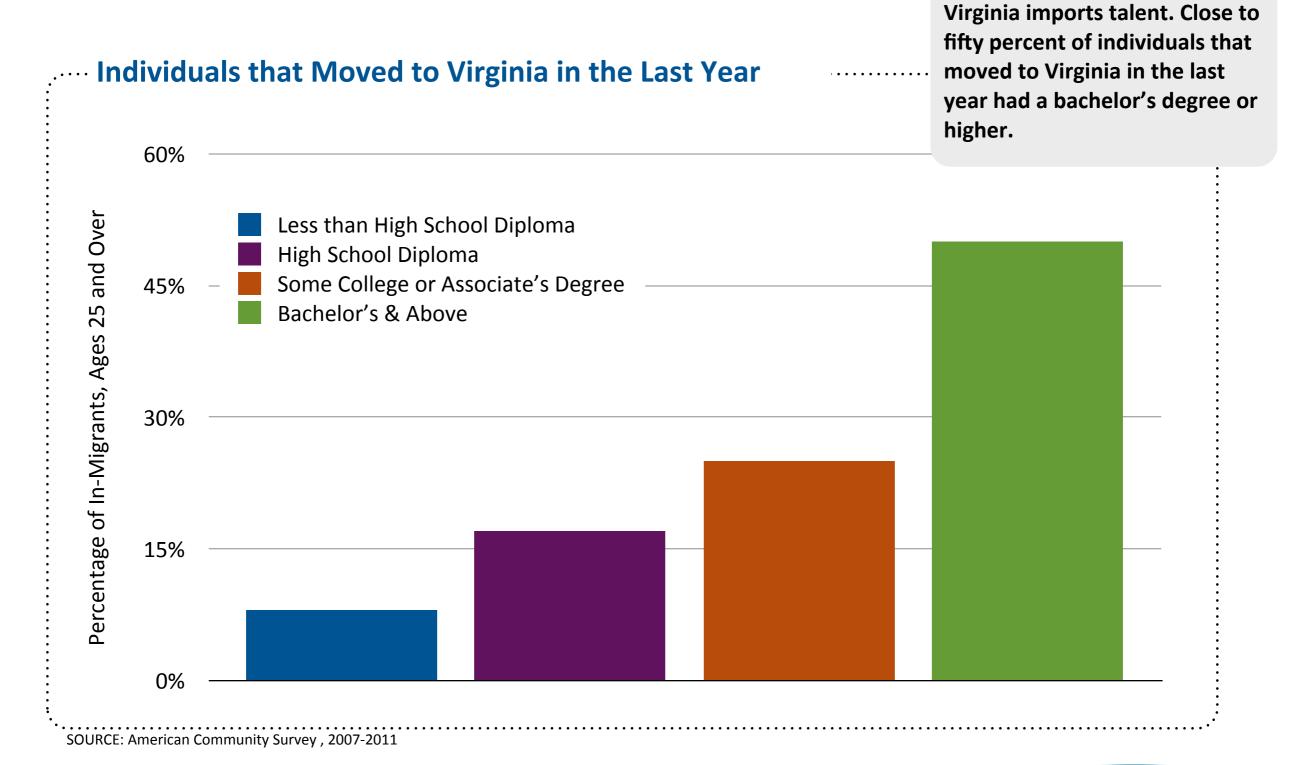
On-the-job training includes short, medium, and long-term on-the-job training.

Virginia's Changing Workforce



SOURCE: Weldon Cooper Center for Public Service, Demographics Research Group, Population Data

Mobility Patterns by Degree Type



Using Data to Discuss Workforce Supply and Demand

Example: Richmond Region, Healthcare Related Occupations

Occupation	Estimated and Projected Employment		2012 Degree Awards				Licensure 2012		
•	2010	2020	Estimated Annual Openings*	Less than 2 Years	Associate's	Bachelor's	Above Bachelor's	Total Degrees	Total Licensures
Registered Nurses	12,199	14,834	485	302	356	311	187	1,156	893
Nursing Aides, Attendants, and Orderlies	7,625	11,034	439	60					913
Licensed Practical and Vocational Nurses	3,419	4,226	172	133				133	209

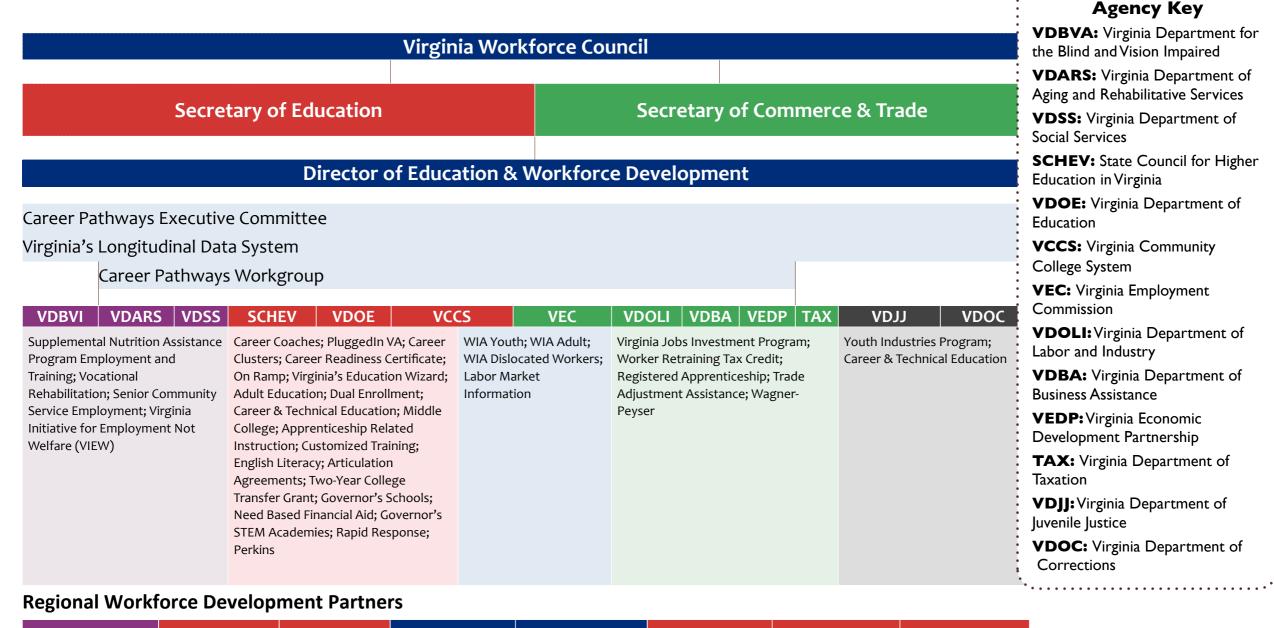
Information is the starting point for understanding our opportunities. For example, regional economies vary in terms of their industry and occupational mix.

SOURCE: Virginia Employment Commission, Occupational Projections, 2012 National Center for Education Statistics, IPEDS Data Center, 2012 Virginia Department of Health Professions, Licensure, 2012

NOTE: The Richmond region includes: the City of Richmond and Charles City, Chesterfield, Colonial Heights, Goochland, Hanover, Henrico, New Kent, and Powhatan Counties. Licensure data reflects the address on record for the licensed individual. Nursing aides, attendants, and orderlies includes home health aides. Estimated annual openings includes net new jobs and retirements.

Workforce

Virginia's Workforce System



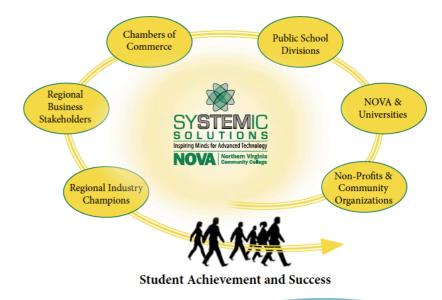
Community Based Non- Profits	Public School Divisions	Community Colleges	Workforce Investment Boards	Virginia's Workforce Network Centers	Public Four- Year Institutions	For Profit Institutions	Private Institutions	
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Best Practices in Other States

- Pennsylvania in 2011 passed legislation to codify its industry partnership approach to workforce development. In addition to creating a funding stream, this bill required the Department of Labor and Industry to publish targeted industry sectors to guide industry partnership development, as well as high-priority occupations for investments from selected state workforce programs.
- Maryland appropriated \$2.5 million dollars for 2014 to fund EARN Maryland. This program will provide planning and implementation grants to regional, business-led partnerships that will examine needs for skilled workers within an industry and create and implement training opportunities to close identified gaps.
- In **Colorado**, the Colorado Workforce Development Council, along with other partners, hosted The Sectors Summit in early 2013 to discuss how Colorado's workforce and education system can align with 14 key industries through regional partnerships.

Virginia's Best Practices

- Several of Virginia's regions have been recognized nationally for their efforts to enhance workforce training to meet business needs. Here are some examples:
 - **Produced in Virginia** is a partnership between UVa's School of Engineering and Applied Sciences and the Virginia Community College System. Partners in Virginia's Region 2000 initiated this program that now reaches 18 community colleges to meet the needs of the region's nuclear energy companies. Through Produced in Virginia, students can earn an engineering associate's degree and finish a four-year degree at the University of Virginia via distance learning.
 - **SySTEMic Solutions** is public-private partnership in eight public school divisions throughout Northern Virginia where partners have designed a STEM pipeline to meet the needs of the region's many technology-focused employers. This program partners business, public K-12 school divisions, Northern Virginia Community College, George Mason University, and George Washington University.
 - The Advanced Manufacturing Career Pathways Initiative in Virginia's Peninsula region is aligning training and education opportunities to fill 11,000 advanced manufacturing jobs in the region by 2016. This partnership includes Thomas Nelson Community College, the Peninsula Council for Workforce Development, six local school divisions, and fourteen employers.



State Workforce Tools for Information



The Virginia Education Wizard is an online career and college planning tool designed to engage students in future job opportunities. A unique feature of the system is that it provides students with information on projected job openings for occupations at the state and regional level over the next five years.



The Virginia Employment Commission's Labor Market Information system provides data on past, current, and future employment; wages; jobs openings; economic indicators; unemployment; and demographics.



The Virginia Longitudinal Data System (VLDS) merges data across agencies - the Virginia Department of Education, the State Council for Higher Education in Virginia, the Virginia Community College System, and the Virginia Employment Commission - to help Virginia answer education and workforce questions.





The Virginia Department of Defense Procurement Economic Impact Evaluation Model will assist professionals from across public, private, and nonprofit sectors with assessing the potential economic and workforce impacts created by changes in defense procurement spending in Virginia.



VIRGINIA'S WORKFORCE SYSTEM REPORT CARD

STEM-H Pipeline

GOAL: Increase the number of students with science, technology, engineering, math, and healthcare skills.

Registered apprenticeships and secondary & postsecondary enrollments in STEM-H programs

Registered apprenticeships and secondary & postsecondary STEM-H credentials earned

Secondary Educational Attainment

GOAL: Enable all students, including at-risk students, to complete high school and prepare for college.

Advanced Studies diplomas earned

Standard diplomas earned

Enrollment in GED or adult high school diploma preparation program

Postsecondary Educational Attainment

GED or adult high school diplomas earned

GOAL: Increase the number of students entering college and earning degrees, certifications, licenses, & apprenticeships.

Postsecondary enrollments	1
Postsecondary credentials earned	1
Industry certifications or state licensures earned	1
Apprenticeship credentials earned	1

Career & College Readiness

GOAL: Increase student readiness for both postsecondary education and the workplace.

Workplace Readiness Skills Credentials earned

Career Readiness Certificates earned

Community college certificates or degrees earned by secondary students

Dual-enrollment credits earned

Advanced Placement (AP) course enrollment and/or exam completion

Employment & Business Development

GOAL: Reduce unemployment and increase both employment and income.

Labor force participation rate

Percentage change in total annual wages

Unemployment rate

Average weeks on unemployment

Percentage change in employment

Percentage change in establishments

Demand-focused workforce solutions at the state and regional level

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Emerging Workforce in Manufacturing

GOAL: Increase credentials and enrollments in manufacturing-related programs; improve the reach of manufacturing instruction and overall employment.

Dual-enrollment students in manufacturingrelated career and technical education courses

Participation by secondary students in project-based competitive events

Completions of career and technical education within a manufacturing program of study

Participation in manufacturing-related community college internship programs

State-registered apprentices in manufacturing

Secondary students earning certifications related to manufacturing

Community college students earning credentials in a manufacturing program of study

Annual new hires in the manufacturing industry

Shared assets (labs, equipment, instructors)

Shared manufacturing curriculum programs

Performance Trend Improving

Maintaining

Worsening **4**

Trend data — not yet available

Assessing Regionally-Driven Workforce Solutions

This year, a new indicator for Virginia's Workforce System Report Card will strengthen the conversation around regional approaches to workforce development by assessing regions along a continuum.

The Stages of Regional Business-Driven Workforce Solutions

Stage	Definition				
Stage 1: Status quo	 The region continues to exhibit an approach to workforce development in silos. The region does not engage with the private sector. 				
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Stage 2: Convening	A workforce intermediary (an organization with a deep understanding of employer and workforce issues in a particular industry) takes the first step in engaging a stakeholder group that includes economic developers, business leaders, educators, and workforce trainers around workforce issues for a key regional industry.				
	Industry leaders are active partners in the regional consortium or partnership that forms as a result of this initial engagement.				
Stage 3: Understanding	The regional consortium or partnership conducts a gap analysis of timely and accurate labor market information and other data to identify workforce challenges and opportunities for an industry.				
Onderstanding	This stage includes engaging businesses on projected workforce needs in key occupations as a supplement to labor market information.				
Stage 4:	The regional consortium or partnership develops an approach to address gaps by pooling resources, aligning programs, and redesigning program curricula based on active employer engagement to determine workforce skills required for occupations.				
Planning	The resulting plan has a clear, business-driven vision. Each partner identifies how they can collaboratively contribute to the overall achievement of the vision.				
Stage 5:	The regional consortium or partnership works together to implement the approach to address needs by redesigning curricula, aligning programs, redirecting resources with an intense focus on both serving businesses and their future employees.				
Implementation	The regional consortium or partnership sustains their efforts over a long period of time.				
	The regional consortium or partnership promotes systemic change within the region's approach to workforce.				

Concluding Thoughts

Blueprint Virginia & Workforce: Highlights

Goal: Create a more robust workforce to meet the needs of a growing and diverse business community.

Industry Council Chair: Mike Daniels, Chairman of LMI

- Strengthen the private sector voice in state-level workforce efforts (new Virginia Workforce Industry Board).
- Strengthen Virginia's approach to workforce development at the state level and within regions.
- Elevate Virginia's workforce system brand so that it is nationally recognized among businesses.

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- Articulate and disseminate information on workforce that catalyzes a dialogue on the future of Virginia's workforce at the state level and within our regions (i.e. state of the workforce).
- Continue to use approaches that provide students with information on future careers (i.e. Virginia Education Wizard, Academic and Career Plans, and Career Coaches).

Public-Private Partnerships

- Establish a private sector-led Virginia Workforce Industry Board to provide input to state workforce leaders on the needs of the business community.
- Collaborate with businesses that have robust in-house training programs to source the non-proprietary elements of these programs.

Targeted Sectors & Populations

 Encourage adequate funding for state-of-the-art equipment and training to address new areas and advanced technologies (i.e. robotics) for high-demand fields such as advanced manufacturing, data analytics, bioscience, and information technology.

Regional Solutions

 Support the development of business-driven regional workforce solutions that meet the needs of a key regional industry over a sustained period of time, particularly for "mid-skill" workers.



Concluding Thoughts

- Virginia's continued prosperity will be determined largely by our success in meeting future workforce skill requirements.
- Much of the hard work of preparing future workers and up-skilling the existing workforce will be dependent on ongoing, communicative partnerships between our business leaders and our education and workforce professionals. The trick is to remain flexible and responsive to both market data and longer-term trends.
- Workforce quality emerged as a very high priority within Blueprint Virginia, as evidenced by the recommendations on the previous slide.
- Future efforts must include:
 - Ensuring appropriate and secure funding for education and workforce training resources;
 - Providing a set of incentives for regional collaboration and innovative, regionally driven, and flexible solutions.
 - Building a framework that helps leaders use the wealth of existing data to better inform education and workforce training decisions.

Sites of Interest

Virginia Performs:

VaPerforms.virginia.gov

Council on Virginia's Future:

future.virginia.gov

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